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Title : LASER CAPTURE MICRODISSECTION (LCM) EXTRACTION DEVICE AND DEVICE CARRIER, AND METHOD FOR POST-LCM FLUID PROCESSING

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## INTERVIEW SUMMARIES AND RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE OF APRIL 5, 2010

Applicants' representatives thank Examiner Ludlow for the courtesy of the telephonic interviews held on March 29, 2010 and May 10, 2010, and acknowledge the Examiner's Interview Summaries dated April 5, 2010 and June 7, 2010. During the interview conducted on March 29, 2010, the undersigned authorized the cancelation of non-elected claims 5 to 13, 79 to 82, 93 to 99, 101 to 103, and 105 to 108 without prejudice or disclaimer. In the interview held on May 10, 2010, Applicants requested consideration of nine references that were submitted with an Information Disclosure Statement filed on December 11, 2001. Applicants note with appreciation that the Office has indicated that all nine references have been considered.

In response to the Notice of Allowance mailed April 5, 2010, attached is a completed issue fee transmittal form PTOL-85b. The fees in the amount of \$1810 for the issue fee (\$1510) and publication fee (\$300) are being paid concurrently herewith on the Electronic Filing System by way of deposit account authorization. Please apply any additional charges or credits to our Deposit Account No. 06-1050, referencing Attorney Docket No. 14255-0034001.

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